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A JULY JINGLE.

Oh, de chickens scratch, en scratch, en
scratch
When de rooster crow for day;
Moonlight in de melon patch—
Chillun, cl'ar de way!
Chillun, cl'ar de way,
Chillun, cl'ar de way;
De melon ripe
With a milky stripe—
Oh, chillun, cl'ar de way!
Oh, de brown hawk fly 'twell he tech de
sky,
En de pigeon coo en pray;
De melon grow whar de fence run high—
Chillun, cl'ar de way!
Chillun, cl'ar de way,
Chillun, cl'ar de way;
I almos' dead
Fo' de melon red—
Chillun, cl'ar de way!
—From the Atlanta Constitution.

APACHE COUNTY.

Apache county in point of population, does not show up with an imposing array of figures. Yet, we venture the assertion that no other county in Arizona, can show any greater amount of wealth per capita. The population, approximately, does not exceed 3000, but, one could hardly expect more, when consideration is given to our industries, 'e' Cattle and Sheep raising. It is only of late years, that any considerable attention has been given to agriculture; and the results from this latter industry have been so generous and encouraging, that in the future, many will adopt that as a calling, and thousands of acres of land will be settled upon, cultivated, and homes established. Cattle and sheep raising never yet settled and improved any country, and Apache county has been no exception to the established rule. Consequently, for the settler and home-seeker, Apache county presents almost an unbroken field, hundreds of thousands of fertile acres lay here, awaiting the coming of the industrious immigrant. The county is abundantly watered, all that is requisite is to save the water, and we regret to say, that, very little attention has been devoted to the problem of saving water, and that only in a desultory way, with results almost beyond credence. Consider then, the inestimable value, both to the capitalist and the farmer, that would accrue with system and brains as a basis to work upon, in aid of the development of this vast farming area. The principal drawback experienced thus far, in the settlement of Apache county; is of course the absence of railroads as a means of transportation, but without any doubt, this deficiency will be obviated in the very near future; by a north and south railroad. Capitalists and spectators are looking towards Arizona, as the promised land, and it will not be long till the shriek of the Iron horse will be heard, rumbling and reverberating, through the lovely valleys of the Little Colorado, the forerunner of civilization, enterprise and industry. In the past month, two immense corporations have been organized in Northern Arizona; one at Holbrook, Navajo county, with a capital of \$200,000, and the other at Flagstaff, Coconino county, with an equally large capital, both of the corporations are backed by eastern capital, and both are formed to store and preserve the waters, through a system of reservoirs, and

from these storage reservoirs to distribute the water about the land as required by the settlers thereon, virtually and experiment in the saving and waste water problem. Navajo county is the fortunate possessor of both these large corporations, as the company organized at Flagstaff intends to reclaim and water the lands south of Winslow. So the march of improvement is drawing very close, and Apache county will not be overlooked, but attention will ultimately be drawn this way, and what, with our thousands of fertile acres unclaimed, our generous climate, our water storage advantages—unsurpassed by any country—and the beautiful little farms already dotting the county here and there, the capitalist and the immigrant need look no further, but will devote, both money and muscle in the development of our resources, and the valleys and plains, wherever water can be furnished, will blossom with happy homes and productive farms. These are not idle fancies, nor are they intended as prophecies, but are the result of reflection, and the signs of the times, which indicate stirring events for Arizona, and when the tide of immigration flows Arizona-wards—which it assuredly will, Apache county will come in for its share. What Arizona is famishing for at the present time is capital, and what is needed to induce capital to come in, and aid in the development of this coming great country, is Statehood.

Cuban Independence.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—The Times-Herald prints the following:
Headquarters of the Rebel Army, Puerto Principe, Cuba, Sept. 23, via Key West, Fla., Oct. 3.—At the meeting of the Cuban provincial delegates at this place to-day, the report of the special committee appointed to draft a constitution, was adopted without debate.
The fundamental laws of the republic were formally proclaimed, and the independence of the island from Spain, was solemnly declared.
The provincial government of General Maceo gives way to this permanent organization.
The officers elected are, president, Salvador Cisneros, of Puerto Principe; vice-president, Bartolomeo Maceo, of Manzanillo; Secretary of war, Carlos Roloff, of Santa Clara; secretary of foreign affairs, Rafael Portuondo, of Santiago; secretary of the treasury, Severa Pina, of Sancti Spiritu; secretary of the interior, Santiago J. Saninanes, of Remedios; general in chief, Maximino Gomez, lieutenant general Antonio Maceo.

Live Stock Market.

Kansas City, Oct. 5.—Cattle receipts, 8,000 head; shipments 2,600 head. Market steady. Texas steers, \$2.15@3.00; Texas cows, \$2.10@2.50; beef steers, \$3.60@5.20; native cows \$1@3.15; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@3.80; bulls, \$1.75@2.70.
Sheep—Receipts, none; shipment, 500. Market steady unchanged.
Chicago, Oct. 5.—Cattle receipts, 800; market quiet, nominally unchanged. Beeves, \$3.40@5.40; cows and heifers, \$1.30@3.65; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@3.85. Texans, \$2.80@3.35; westerns, \$2.90@4.15.
Sheep receipts, 5,000. Market steady.
There are more "bike" riders in Tucson, according to population, than in any other town west of the Rockies.
In the contest at Williams between Swifty and Flynn, the latter was knocked out in the second round.
GREAT BATTLES are continually going on in the human system. Hood's Sarsaparilla drives out disease and Restores Health.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

Sept. 7th, 1895.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m.
Present—W. H. Gibbons and G. Becker. Absent—L. J. Brown, chairman.

The chairman of the Board of Supervisors being absent, W. H. Gibbons was elected chairman of the Board of Supervisors, pro-tem.

It is ordered by the Board that the Assessor of Apache county be instructed to certify to the Board of Supervisors of Navajo county that the Wabash Cattle Company has been assessed for all its property both real and personal in Apache county for the year 1895.

The following reports of officials of Apache County were now examined and approved, to-wit:
Quarterly report of N. Gonzales, Recorder.

Quarterly report of S. M. Craig, Justice of Peace.

The following claims were now audited and allowed payable out of the Expense Fund, to-wit:

N. Gonzales, Recorder, box rent 1.25
L. Ortega, Justice fees. 12.00
C. I. Kempe, supplies to indig'ts 6.00
" " " " 8.00
" " " " 12.00

The Board now took recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Board resumed session.

The Board continued the auditing and allowance of claims against the county payable out of the Expense Fund, to-wit:

N. Gonzales, making Duplicate Tax Roll.....\$100.00
A. D. Romero, Constable fees..... 16.60
Sherwood Bros, re air on jail..... 2.25
G. Garcia, cleaning cess-pool..... 20.00
A. & B. Schuster supplies to indig'ts 48.00
David Sanders Sr. jury fee..... 2.00
Aaron E. Cheney, jury fee..... 2.00
Geo. H. Killian jury fee..... 2.00
Monico Garcia, interpreters fees..... 2.00
David Sanders Jr. jury fee..... 2.00
J. H. Greer, jury fee..... 2.00
Alex. Dunand, interpreters fee..... 2.00
F. J. Watron supplies to treasurer August Miner, water for county St. Johns Drug Co. supplies to prisoners..... 1.10
St. Johns Drug Co. supplies to Co. O. C. Overson, work at court house Bancroft Whitney Co. blank books etc..... 48.15
J. R. Armijo, serving tax notice..... 2.00
Serafin Apodaca, Constable fees..... 6.05
S. M. Craig, Justice fees..... 22.50
" supplies to prisoners and indigents..... 13.05
" supplies to county..... 3.35
" salary Co. physician..... 30.00
Alfred Ruiz, clerks fees..... 152.20
J. H. Heap, jury certificate..... 2.00
Elam Cheney..... 2.00
Elisha Averett..... 16.00
Pedro Montano jury certificate..... 10.50
A. F. Banta..... 6.00
Hyrum Chapman..... 6.00

The following claims were now audited and allowed payable out of the Expense Fund for liabilities accrued before the division of the county, Navajo county being liable for 52.9 per cent of the same to-wit:
M. W. Flournoy, General Fund Warrant No. 233, of 1887, in favor of F. A. Hubbell, \$45.00. Interest from Oct. 15, 1887, to Jan. 15, 1891, \$14.62, total \$59.62.
John T. Hogue, balance clerk fees, 42.35
C. I. Kempe supplies to indigents 18.00

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The Treasurer is directed to charge 52.9 per cent. of the amount of the above warrants to Navajo county.

The following claims were now examined and disallowed to-wit: Anthony Long, coroner's inquest fees, \$10.00

Sam Wright, claim for hat 4.00

It appearing to the Board of Supervisors that Sec. 3, of Act No. 21, of the Eighteenth Legislature has not been complied with in the matter of adding 5 per cent to the levy for school purposes to constitute a reserve fund, it is hereby ordered that the levy for 1895 be amended by deducting 3 1/2 cents from the general fund levy for the reserve school fund.

The Board of Supervisors now adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock a. m.

Attest: W. H. Gibbons, Chairman
N. Gonzales, Clerk.
pro-tem.
Oct. 8th, 1895.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning at 9 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment.

Present—W. H. Gibbons, chairman pro-tem and Gustav Becker. Absent—Brown.

The Board now proceeded to examine the Treasurer's report for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1895. The Treasurer's statement for said quarter is as follows, to-wit:

RECEIPTS.

Balance July 1st.....\$12,343.27
Taxes for 1895..... 174.69
" " 1894..... 1,787.46
" " 1893..... 33.55
" " 1892..... 29.60
" " 1891..... 13.26
Poll Taxes..... 108.00
County License..... 135.25
Recorder's fees..... 107.10
Fines..... 15.68
Estate of Chas. Beaufort..... 200.00
Teachers Institute Fund..... 6.00
Ejectment suit..... 3.43
Total.....\$15,018.13

DISBURSEMENTS.

Territorial Fund.....\$1,699.78
Navajo county..... 1,521.31
Salary Fund Warrants..... 1,771.81
Expense "..... 1,174.28
Orders of District Court..... 68.00
Estate of Chas. Beaufort..... 88.00
Taxes refunded..... 17.46
" fees on delinquent taxes " 2 per cent. commission 42.45
A. F. Potter..... 100.35
Expense fund stamps, express Ejectment suit fees refunded. 3.43
Poll tax refunded..... 2.40
Balance..... 8,234.70
Total.....\$15,018.13

I also beg leave to report that there is in the Treasury the sum of \$29.54 to the credit of Nat. Greer on account of Tax Sale Certificate No. 18, for taxes of 1893, against the property of J. Q. Adamson.

I hereby certify that the within is a true and correct statement.

ALBERT F. POTTER,
Treasurer and Tax Collector.

The Board proceeded to count the money in the Treasury, resulting as follows:

We hereby certify that there ought to be in the hands of the Treasurer of Apache county on October 1st, 1895, Eight Thousand Two Hundred and sixty-four dollars and 24 cents.

We find that there is actually in the hands of the Treasurer, Certificate of Deposit \$8,000.00
Checks 127.25
Currency 36.00
Gold 65.00
Silver 36.00
Total \$8,264.25

Gustav Becker, Members, Board W. H. Gibbons, of Supervisors. W. H. Burbage, District Attorney.

The Board now adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

2 o'clock p. m.
The Board resumed session pursuant to adjournment.

The Board then proceeded to audit and allow the following claims against Apache county, payable out of the expense fund, to-wit:

A. & B. Schuster supplies to Co. etc \$107.60
Ant. Gonzales cleaning court house yard..... 3.50
Bancroft Whitney Co. law books 6.50

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C. M. & M. I., 14 jury certificates..... 158.20
" " rent Dist. Att'y office..... 18.00
" " supplies to indig't etc..... 54.75
" " cleaning cess-pool..... 20.00
St. Johns Drug Co 6 jury certificate..... 85.00
Treasurer & Tax Collector 16 jury certificates..... 216.30
Alex. Dunand jury certificate..... 6.00
S. M. Craig " " " " 6.00
J. N. Heywood " " " " 24.00
Tenny C. Hill " " " " 22.50
S. M. Jensen " " " " 2.00
Geo. H. Killian " " " " 10.50
Ove C. Overson " " " " 6.00
J. R. Armijo jury certificates 2.00
E. W. A. Mohr " " " " 6.00
James Scott, boarding prisoners 198.00
" " Sheriff fees..... 43.07
" " " " " " 44.75
" " " " " " 21.00
" " " " " " 113.35

The following claim against Apache county, of which amount Navajo county is liable to 52.9 per cent was allowed and ordered paid out of the Expense Fund, to-wit:

T. G. Norris, services as Dist.

Att'y for the year 1894.....\$500.00
In the matter of the application of Alfred Ruiz to be paid \$16.00 for supplies furnished indigent poor through a misunderstanding, and heretofore disallowed, the Board by unanimous vote reaffirmed its former action disallowing the claim.

The quarterly reports of the following officials of Apache county were now examined for the quarter ending Sept. 30th, 1895, and approved, to-wit:

Willard Farr, Probate Judge and ex Officio Superintendent of Public Schools.

James Scott, Sheriff's report of poll tax collected.

James Scott, Sheriff's report of fines collected.

James Scott, Sheriff's report of property tax collected.

James Scott, Sheriff's report of license tax collected.

The report of Geo. H. Crosby road overseer was now examined and approved.

It is hereby ordered by the Board that the Treasurer set aside from the Expense Fund the sum of \$60 to be subject to the order of the Immigration commissioner for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the immigration commission actually incurred.

The Jailor is hereby instructed to furnish Paz Trujillo, the blind woman, a ration of wood each day as per the instructions of the Board of Supervisors.

The Board of Supervisors now adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock a. m.

Attest: W. H. Gibbons, Chairman,
N. Gonzales, Clerk.
pro-tem.

Reservoir Sites.

S. M. Folsom and William Clafin have filed with the United States land office at Prescott applications for three reservoir sites in Navajo and Apache counties, south of Flagstaff and Williams. The applications also call for right of way for canals tributary to such reservoirs. It is proposed to store flood waters in the reservoirs for the reclamation of large tracts of fertile land tributary thereto. The carrying out of this enterprise will necessitate the expenditure of hundreds of thousands of dollars, and will be a great benefit to Northern Arizona.—Prescott Courier.

The Arizona mission conference of the Methodist church convened in Flagstaff on the third of this month, Bishop Warren presiding.

The cars will soon be running into Mesa. That thriving little town is in the heart of one of the richest sections in the world.

Deputy Sheriff Munds returned yesterday after an absence of eleven days trailing Jack Wren, who was captured early yesterday morning near Jerome. During this time Munds and the other officers slept in the day time and watched houses and the trails at night; it was cold and disagreeable work. Time and again would the officers trail Wren to and from houses and camps the occupants of which would solemnly aver that they had not seen Wren at all. The entire section seemed in sympathy with Wren and did all that could be done to baffle officers in pursuit of him.

It is not generally known, but is nevertheless a fact that Arizona contains the largest unbroken forest area of any geographical division in the United States, there being from eight to ten thousand million feet of standing saw lumber, this however is located in the northern part of the territory. There are now being cut from this forest area 35,000,000 feet of lumber annually, most of which is marketed in California and New Mexico.—Star.

The McHaney brothers of Tombstone have sold their mine to Denver capitalists for \$120,000 cash. The mine is now turning out \$1,000 a day in bullion.

The blithesome and glorious Geo. T. Johnston, the Monte Cristo of Arizona, has been located. He is basking in the golden light of Sonora, Mex.

A Phoenix man used a Winchester rifle in the collection of a bill. He is now in jail in default of \$720 bail to appear before the grand jury.

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SUMMONS.

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, Territory of Arizona, County of Apache.

Mecoa Munger, plaintiff,

vs.

J. P. Monger, defendant.

Summons No.

Action brought in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, in and for the County of Apache, Territory of Arizona.

Territory of Arizona sends greeting to J. P. Monger.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, in and for the County of Apache, in the Territory of Arizona, and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of this Court, at St. Johns, in said County, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this County; but if served out of the County, and within this District, then within twenty days; if service of said summons is by publication, then you are required to appear and answer said complaint within twenty days after the completion of said publication. In the same manner and under the same penalties, as if you had been personally served with summons within the county in which the suit is pending; in all other cases, thirty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint, as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment by default against you in accordance with the prayer of plaintiff's complaint herein, and costs and disbursements in her behalf expended.

Given under my hand and the seal of said District Court, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1895.

ALFRED R. BUCK, Clerk.

By S. M. CRAIG.

W. H. BURBAGE,

Attorney for plaintiff.